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OF MENLO PARK AND SAN MATEO COUNTY

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No. 7

MRS. JOHN MACBAIN TO BE LAID TO REST THIS MORNING

Menlo Park people are in mourning today in respect to the memory of Mrs. Margaret MacBain, wife of Supervisor John MacBain, who passed away at her home on Mills avenue at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mrs. MacBain had been in ill health for many months but recently had been able to enjoy some of her former pleasures again. She had been confined to her bed but one week during her last illness and her death came as a shock to her large circle of friends.

Margaret MacBain was born in Canada fifty-seven years ago and in addition to her husband, is survived by a niece, Miss Pearl McCormick, assistant secretary of the social service commission. A sister and nephew who reside in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. MacBain were married in Portland, Oregon in 1900 and immediately came to Menlo Park where they have since resided. Mrs. MacBain was possessed of a sweet retiring disposition which endeared her to all who were privileged to know her. She was one of the staunchest supporters of the local Presbyterian Church and was always ready to help those round about her with kindly advice or more material things as the need required. She was one of the founders of the Menlo Park Parent-Teacher Association and of the Menlo Park Study Club.

Mr. MacBain, the devoted husband has the sympathy of the entire community in his hour of bereavement. Hundreds of beautiful floral tributes attested to the high esteem in which the deceased was held by her friends.

Funeral services will be held this morning from the family home at 9:30 o'clock and the body will be placed in a vault at Cypress Lawn Memorial Park. Friends are invited to attend the services.

LOCAL MAN COLLIDES WITH CAR—FIVE ARE INJURED

Edward Coe and his brothers Alfred and Edwin, together with Mrs. E. Zink and Richard Zink were slightly injured in an automobile accident with a Peninsula Railway car at the Embarcadero road and the Highway in Palo Alto last Thursday afternoon. First aid treatment was given at the Palo Alto Hospital and all but Alfred Coe were able to return to their homes. Coe's arm was fractured it was ascertained by use of the X-ray.

Coe was unable to explain how the accident occurred and said that he did not see the car approaching. The machine was badly wrecked as a result of the collision.

VISITING ARTISTS TO PRESENT SUNDAY PROGRAM

A very interesting and attractive program has been arranged by Mrs. Walter Chidester to be presented at the Community House on the afternoon of Sunday, November 22, at five o'clock.

The complete program follows:
Group I, May Denke, lyric soprano, accompanied by Frank Denke.
"To Spring".....Gounod
"A Brown Bird Singing".....Haydn Wood
"Una Voce Poco Fa".....Rossini

Group II, Frank Denke.
"May Night".....Palmgren
"Scherzo".....Palmgren
"Liebestraum".....Liszt
Group III, Frank Terramorse, Jr., dramatic tenor, accompanied by Mrs. Walter Chidester.

"Obstination".....Fontenailles
"L'Oasis".....Fourdrain
"I Have Wept A Dreaming".....Hue
"La Spagnola".....Di Chiara
Group IV, Frank Denke.
"Black Key Etude".....Chopin
"Revolutionary Etude".....Chopin
Group V, May Denke.
"Les Yeux".....Rene Rabley
"L'Ete".....Chaminade

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hampton are planning to leave Menlo Park for the new place which they recently purchased on El Monte avenue, Los Altos.

Have you thought of Personal Greeting Cards? Do it now. 268-J.

COMMITTEES RECOMMENDATION ADOPTED BY SUPERVISORS

According to the unanimous decision of the committee recently appointed by the board of supervisors to investigate the matter of redistricting the county, it would only result in confusion, dissatisfaction and needless expense to rearrange the supervisorial districts of the county as outlined by the committee of Burlingame business men. The supervisors' committee which consists of W. J. Lorton, A. E. Monteth, Dr. C. L. Morgan, Fred D. Lorton and J. C. Williamson in presenting their report asked that the matter be held in abeyance and that a committee be immediately appointed to consider and plan a charter form of government for the use of San Mateo county.

The report was adopted upon motion of Supervisor Thompson, seconded by Supervisor Francis. Motion carried with the votes of MacBain, Thompson, Francis and Hickey for acceptance and Supervisor Rosalie M. Brown voting no.

The complete report follows in full:

To the Honorable, The County Board of Supervisors, Court House, Redwood City, Calif.: Gentlemen:

The committee of five men appointed by your honorable body on October 23, 1925, to consider and report on the re-apportionment of San Mateo county into five supervisorial districts according to law, have met on several occasions, weighed and discussed the numerous phases of the job you submitted us for consideration. We met first as a committee and organized. Our next meeting was in consultation with District Attorney Swart. At our third meeting we attempted to reconcile the problems of basic law facing us in the undertaking, and to arrive at, if possible, some definite conclusions that would be for the best interests of the whole county. These conclusions are presented as representing the unanimous opinion of your committee, and are herewith offered to your honorable body with the sincere and genuine hope that you may consider them as representing our best judgment in the difficult problem confronting us.

Your committee is unanimous in recommending:

1. That, for the present, at least, no change be made in the lines of supervisorial districts, because no re-apportionment plan could be put into effect until the expiration of the term of office of the present board of supervisors, which would be three years. The present members of the board from the first, third and fourth townships have still three years to serve.

2. We believe it would be detrimental to the best interests of the peninsula to engender or set on foot, at this time, any question that might, in any way, interfere or prevent the unanimous co-operation of the communities in the wave of unprecedented development that is sure to come to the Peninsula in the next year or two.

3. We recommend, that you undertake, or that you appoint a commission to undertake at once a study looking to a charter for San Mateo county, so that the same may be presented to the State Legislature at its next session.

CHAS. L. MORGAN, President.
W. J. MARTIN, J. C. WILLIAMSON, F. D. LORTON, A. E. MONTIETH, Secretary.

The committee was tendered a vote of thanks for its excellent work by the board of supervisors. A letter was read from the Burlingame Chamber of Commerce suggesting that the wing at the Community Hospital, which will be vacated when the new nurses' home is completed, be converted into an isolation ward. The County Clerk was instructed to advise the chamber that plans were now in preparation for an isolation ward which would amply provide for the situation.

Resolutions were unanimously adopted declaring that the auto truck line conducted by Dante Diandj and

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STANFORD RALLY SHOWS FINE SPIRIT PREVAILS ON CAMPUS

College spirit and enthusiasm drew thousands of peninsula and valley people to witness the most elaborate "big game" football rally Stanford has held in recent years on Wednesday night last. Just thirty hours after flames had consumed the pyre built by the freshman class, the largest bonfire Stanford has ever seen, was completed at noon and at 8:30 o'clock while chanting rooters serpentine round it, the lofty monument to the passing of the Golden Bear was transformed into a roaring furnace.

At 7 o'clock a torchlight rooters' parade formed at the postoffice and led by the yell leaders and the band, marched to the stadium to the tune of "Come Join the Band!" and "The Cardinal is Waving."

Nearly the entire west side of the bowl was filled by rooters and visitors.

Rally speakers emphasized the fact that this "is a Stanford year." Glenn Warner, Andy Kerr, and Captain Ernie Nevers, backed up by members of the varsity squad, addressed the rooters, and Jack Patrick, who led the Red team in 1920, exhorted the student body to wager every cent on the team.

J. D. Chase, president of the San Jose Alumni association and a member of the class of 1916, and D. W. Evans, '20, represented the alumni. A skit, "Little Red Riding Hood," depicted the football season with Red Riding Hood thriving on bear steak.

Following the stadium rally, the crowd gathered around the bonfire to celebrate the cremation of the Bruins and the singing of the hymn, "Hail, Stanford, Hail!" marked the end of the festivities.

The students and authorities are to be complimented on the spirit and unity of purpose shown in the building in one day of a bonfire pile, which so far exceeded in size that destroyed Tuesday morning by persons unknown. The premature burning of the big pile Tuesday morning, while it is considered a "low down" trick, certainly developed a fine school spirit and a determination to win that assures of victory on Saturday.

IMPROVEMENTS BEING PLANNED FOR VETS HOSPITAL

Dr. P. G. Bortien, medical officer in charge of U. S. Veteran's Hospital, No. 24 at Menlo Park has announced plans calling for the expenditure of \$300,000 for the enlargement of that institution and states that the work will be commenced immediately after the first of the year.

Six hundred and fourteen neuropsychiatric cases are at present being cared for at the institution. According to a new ruling of Congress this and other hospitals maintained by the United States Government will be open to war veterans injured in civilian life as well as those injured in the service.

Plans are also being made for the installation of a complete library in the local hospital by Frank T. Hines of the Veteran's Bureau it was announced this week. The plan as outlined embraces all government hospitals, and the libraries are to be from 1500 to 6000 books each. In addition, it is planned to provide thirty magazines for each 100 men in the hospitals.

MASONIC LODGE TO BE FORMED IN MENLO PARK

It is persistently rumored on the street that a Masonic Lodge is to be organized in Menlo Park in the very near future.

There is plenty of room in this district for such a lodge and it would mean much in the fraternal life of the town if the rumor is correct.

There is also room for a lodge of Odd Fellows as well as the companion lodges, the Rebekahs and the Order of the Eastern Star. It is to be hoped that these organizations will be formed as soon as possible.

Read your home paper,

THANKSGIVING SONG SERVICE AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY

A Thanksgiving song service will be given at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, November 22, under the direction of Mrs. J. E. Cooper.

A thirty minute song service of the old familiar songs will also be held, led by Mrs. J. J. Garland.

The program follows:

Anthem by the choir.

Harvest Thanksgiving, Ira B. Wilson.

Scripture Reading, Pastor.

Duet, selected, Mrs. Bearce and Mr. Heltzel.

Prayer, Pastor.

"I Am Only An Armor Bearer," chorus of boys, directed by Mrs. H. Bearce.

Collection.

Offertory, Myra Kurtz.

Solo, "I'm A Pilgrim," Herbert Johnson, by Mrs. J. E. Cooper.

Reading, selected, Mrs. Garner.

Duet, selected, Mrs. Max Hoffman and Carol Darnant.

Short talk by the Pastor.

Anthem by the choir.

"Praise Ye the Lord," Alice Larry Woodcock.

Closing song, "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again."

WORTHINGTON GIVES FACTS ABOUT LONGEST TELEPHONE CABLE NOW IN USE IN EAST

The New York-Chicago Telephone Cable, the longest telephone cable in the world, has now been placed in service by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company. The cable, considered as a unit, leaves New York to the West via Morristown and Allentown over the mountains of Northern New Jersey to Reading, Pa., and thence west through Central Pennsylvania to Harrisburg and south to Shippensburg. From Shippensburg the cable is routed to Pittsburgh, thence to Cleveland, and from there it passes through Ohio, Indiana and into Illinois to Chicago. Twelve years ago, this cable was a recognized necessity, but was considered almost a dream. Now it is a reality.

J. D. Worthington, manager of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company here today issued some interesting facts concerning this great project. The cable is eight hundred and sixty-one miles long and weighs approximately thirty-four million, seven hundred and fifty thousand pounds. There are over twenty-one million pounds of lead, over eleven million pounds of copper and over two million pounds of paper in the cable. Of the eight hundred and sixty-one miles of cable, seven hundred and seventeen miles are aerial and are supported on messenger strand involving a weight of approximately one million five hundred thousand pounds. There are nine thousand five hundred separate lengths of cable which have necessitated a part of the eleven thousand splices made in the cable. The total length of all the wire in this cable is four hundred and forty-seven thousand miles. The cost of the completed cable approximates twenty-five million dollars. Two hundred and fifty telephone conversations and five hundred telegraph messages may pass over this cable simultaneously.

CALIFORNIA MILITARY ACADEMY ACTIVITIES

The Thanksgiving recess will begin at noon on Wednesday, November 25th and will end at 5 p. m. on the following Sunday.

The Halloween dance was a real success. The assembly hall never looked better than it did with its characteristic yellow and black decorations, its witches, black cats, pumpkins and corn stalks. The music by one of the Stanford orchestras was unusually catchy and lively, the refreshments were fine and the weather just right.

The school Rifle Club is now a member of the National Rifle Association and also of the Winchester Junior Rifle Corps. The N. R. A. is a semi-official organization fostered by the War Department and with its headquarters at Washington.

REMODELING SIGNS ON THE HIGHWAY HERE

The big sign boards on the highway south of Santa Cruz avenue are being remodeled at this time preparatory to the laying of sidewalks.

This is only one of the many improvements that may be looked for in the near future.

Turkey for Thanksgiving. Large young birds, 14 pounds and up. Orders taken now. Grill's Poultry Ranch, Menlo Park.

The H. T. M. Club will enjoy a masquerade ball this evening at the Parish House. Good music will make the hours pass very happily.

Mrs. Wilson, recently arrived from England, has rented a house on Crane avenue and will make her home here.

Best your home town, NOW!

STANFORD TEAM IN READINESS FOR "BIG GAME" SATURDAY

Everything is in readiness for the great conflict between the Golden Bears and the Cardinals in the Stanford Stadium Saturday afternoon when Stanford's team hopes to wrest from her California opponents the honor they have held for a number of years.

Probably all of the Cardinal star players with the exception of Ward Poulson will participate in the great struggle. His place on the team will most likely be filled by Chris Freeman. Harris, another of the regular tackles has not been in the best shape for the past few days but will probably start against the Bears.

The game here Saturday will be the thirty-third "Big Game" and will be witnessed by a record-breaking crowd. Many old time fans are suffering bitter disappointment in not being able to obtain tickets and will have to content themselves with hearing the results via radio.

With the completion of the game Saturday, 13 of the Bears will have fought for the last time in a conference football game.

Most everyone in this vicinity feels quite sure that the Stanford team will be able to emerge the victor on Saturday and judging from the record made by the team in the various games this season, it seems quite likely that the Golden Bear will have to give way this time.

Y. M. C. A. SEEKING \$2500 FOR EXTENSION OF WORK

The campaign for \$2500 in the southern part of San Mateo county to assist in the work being undertaken under the direction of the County Y. M. C. A. is securing fine response and the following amounts have been allotted to each community in the district as follows:

Redwood City\$1200
Menlo Park and Atherton..... 800
San Carlos and Belmont..... 200
Woodside 150
Runnymede 150

About thirty men and boys are conducting the drive and report fine progress. The executive committee committee is composed of the following: Charles H. Merrill, chairman; Frank K. Towne, E. B. Hinman, D. W. Williams, Fred H. Drake, C. M. Dorse, Harry C. Groom, John D. Gish and J. H. Stubbs.

BRIDE-TO-BE KILLED IN PALO ALTO AUTO ACCIDENT SAT.

Mrs. Lucille Friedman of San Francisco was killed last Saturday night when the automobile in which she was riding struck a pole just south of the Umbrella Garage in the Mayfield District of Palo Alto.

The accident happened about 9:30 in the evening when the car in which Mrs. Friedman was riding was proceeding to San Jose. The car was driven by Charles Cuneo of San Francisco and the couple were on their way to San Jose to be married, after which they intended to go on south on their honeymoon.

According to Officer Owler, who saw the accident, and stated that they were driving about 35 miles an hour when the car suddenly swerved and jumping the curb struck the pole throwing Mrs. Friedman out. Following the collision with the pole the car swerved to the left and went about fifteen feet before it came to a stop.

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P. T. A. FATHERS' NIGHT VERY PLEASANT AFFAIR LAST FRIDAY

One of the largest gatherings in the history of Menlo Park congregated last Friday evening for the annual Father's Night program of the Parent-Teacher Association in the school auditorium. The room was completely filled with interested parents and friends and overflowed into the halls, in fact every available space was utilized. A program of very high order was rendered under the able direction of Mrs. J. E. Cooper.

The Red Riding Hood Pageant, produced under the direction of the teachers of the four lower grades of the school and assisted by Mrs. Bert Ragan and Mrs. J. A. Morris was greatly appreciated and won prolonged applause from the audience. In the costumes, which were made especially for this pageant the fairies, brownies, woodchoppers and butterflies made a very pretty picture. About fifty children participated in the pageant and they together with their instructors are deserving of praise.

Professor Otis M. Carrington of the Sequoia Union High School rendered several vocal selections and Prof. Heyneman, instructor of the band rendered numbers on the violin, trumpet, French Horn and the flute, accompanied by Prof. Carrington on the piano. These selections were roundly applauded by the gathering, and Prof. Heyneman responded to several encores.

Miss Minnie Malcom, a pupil of Mrs. Bert Ragan portrayed the "Butterfly Dance" in pleasing style. It would be exceedingly difficult to distinguish between the popularity of the various numbers as they were all so well received by the audience.

Mrs. Charles Parsons donated the poem "The House by the Side of the Road" in picture form to be hung in a class room and a count was made of fathers present to ascertain who should be given the honor of having the picture for the first month and Mrs. Mark Loughlin's room received it with seventeen fathers present. Hereafter the picture will go to the room which has the largest number of mothers present at the regular meeting of the P. T. A.

Announcement was made by Prof. Carrington of the presentation of his new opera, "Bits of Blarney" which is to make its debut at the Sequoia Union High School in Redwood City on the evening of December 4, and which will be repeated here in the school auditorium on Friday evening, December 11 for the benefit of the school orchestra.

During the business session it was stated that a closet in which to keep the P. T. A. supplies was needed very badly and no sooner said than done, Mrs. Raymond Perry offered to furnish the necessary materials and a carpenter volunteered to construct the closet for the organization.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. T. Aabel and her committee in the school basement immediately following the program.

MENLO SCHOOL GRIDDERS TO PLAY FRESNO TODAY

The Menlo School players, football champions of northern California are in Fresno today to mix things with the Fresno High gridgers.

The Menlo team will endeavor to start a new string of victories in this game, as their record of thirteen games and no defeats was interrupted two weeks ago when the Berkeley "Yellow Jackets" handed them their first defeat in fourteen games by a 7 to 0 score.

Dick Lawson of Stanford baseball fame is the coach of the local boys. Templeton, center, is the star of the team and has always stood head and shoulders above all the players on the respective teams. He has played against this season. If the Fresno football players can stop him from breaking through and smearing their plays before they start, it is more than any other team has been able to do thus far this year.

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SUPERVISORS TURN DOWN
REDISTRICTING PLAN MON.

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Caesar Pellegrini on the coastside were necessary to the public welfare and convenience and ordered same forwarded to the state railroad commission.

Two resolutions were passed in the memory of the passing of prominent and well known residents and copies ordered spread upon the minutes and forwarded to relatives. The late residents thus honored were Mrs. Mary S. Merrill and William B. Lawrence.

Whereas, Mary S. Merrill, long a resident of the county San Mateo, passed away on the 30th day of October, 1925, and

Whereas, Mrs. Merrill was one of the most respected citizens of this county and one who, in her quiet and unassuming way, did much for the benefit of the residents of this county, and in particular in relieving the suffering and distress of the poor, and was widely known in this county, in San Francisco and elsewhere in the State of California, for her many charitable activities and her interest in the Red Cross, and

Whereas, in the death of Mrs. Merrill this county and the State of California have suffered a great loss; now therefore, be it

Resolved, by the board of supervisors of the county of San Mateo, State of California, that in appreciation of the many charitable activities of said Mary S. Merrill, and as an expression of the very high regard held for her by the people of San Mateo county, that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this board, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of Mrs. Merrill.

William B. Lawrence was born in San Mateo County. He lived his life of 59 years in San Mateo County. And in his home in this county he died on November 2, 1925. His life was closely associated with the activity and progress of the county.

For six years he served as a supervisor, and from the day of his withdrawal as a public official to the day of his death, he took a keen active interest in the upbuilding of the good name and the substantial progress of his county.

He was constantly called upon in matters of great public interest. During the great World War he served as a member of the County Council of Defense. In fact few important commissions of the county did not include the name of Mr. Lawrence. And even at the time of his death he had consented once more to serve the county in the important matter of considering the redistricting of the county.

His view in public matters was ever forward. To him the present was always subservient to the future well being.

In his long service with the Spring Valley Water Company (which in fact dated from his 19th birthday to his death), Mr. Lawrence never forgot the public interest.

Through his long sighted policy of fairness to the public in the management of the Spring Valley properties, this great public service company has sustained the constant friendly cooperation of the general public.

Subject to the protection of the sacred use to which the properties are dedicated, the great properties were opened to the public.

The creeks, the waters, the shrubbery, the hills, were protected for the public and for the future generations. The wild life, the quail, the songbird, the deer, were protected for the future.

And when perchance a shortsighted, malicious trespasser or poacher was taken into custody, Mr. Lawrence always sought to talk to him personally.

In a firm, dignified way, he was told that the Spring Valley is not protecting its properties and its wild life for the selfish use of its officials, but is keeping it as a public park and refuge for the future generations.

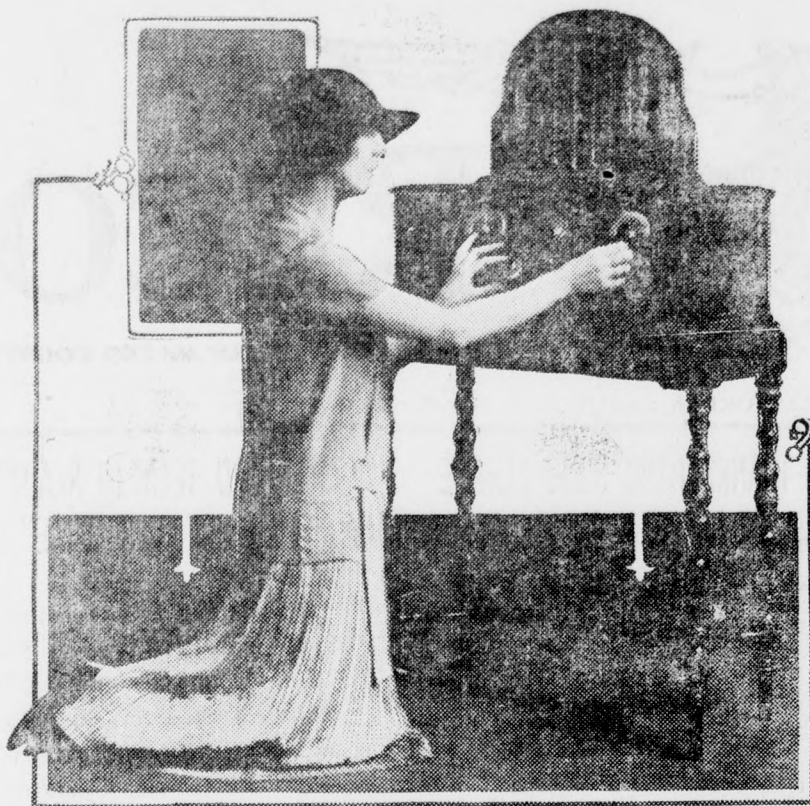
Mr. Lawrence loved the great outdoors. "Sawyer's Camp," "The Stone Dam," "Pilarcitos," will, through the years to come, commemorate the beautiful memory of the man who so loved to entertain his family and friends there.

In recognition therefore of the public service in and to San Mateo county, and the high qualities as a man of William B. Lawrence:

Be it ordered that this brief statement be spread upon the minutes of this board, and a copy thereof be forwarded to the surviving widow, Emma Lawrence.

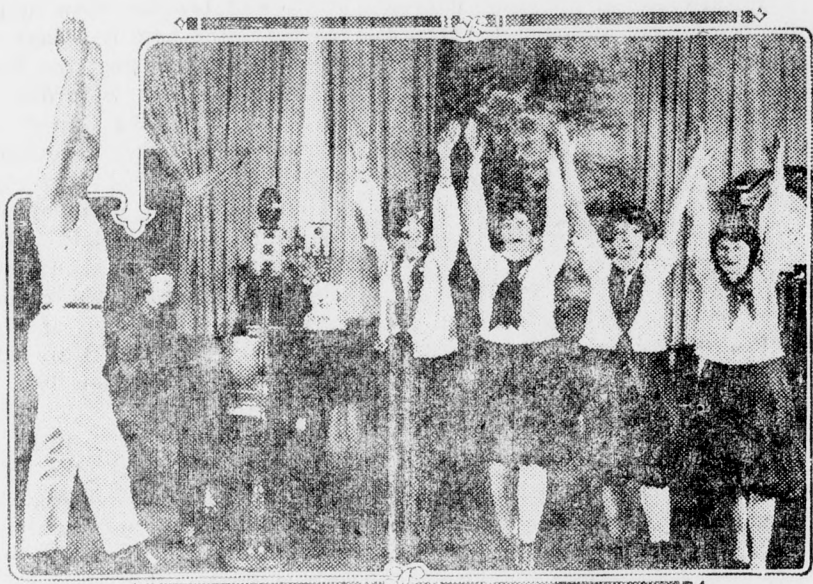
Regularly passed and adopted by the board of supervisors, of the County of San Mateo, State of California, this 16th day of November, 1925, in regular meeting of said board.

RADIO ENTERTAINS ROYALTY



Lady Diana Manners, who portrays the "Madonna" in "The Miracle," the great mystery play now being given in this country, is an ardent radio fan. She is shown tuning in with a Crosley radio receiver.

MORNING EXERCISES VIA RADIO



Thousands of letters have been received by William N. Stradtman, Physical Director of the Cincinnati Y.M.C.A., from people who are taking up the morning exercises which will reduce those who are fat and put on weight for the thin ones. These healthful exercises are given at seven-thirty in the morning through the Crosley W.L.W. super-power broadcasting station. A group of girls are shown in the studio with the instructor and pianist.

Theatrical Producer Declares
Musical Comedy Plots Changing

NEW YORK—Well known literary masterpieces and old favorites of the spoken stage to-day furnish the plots for the most successful musical comedies, according to J. J. Shubert, internationally known producer and theatre owner. The flimsy, sugary, start-and-end-nowhere themes of the past will not pass muster with modern demands in musical productions, declares the well known manager.

"Musical comedy is undergoing a reincarnation," said Mr. Shubert in a recent interview. "The success of Mansfield's 'Old Heidelberg' now offered as 'The Student Prince', and many others show that the theatre-going public is demanding a higher standard."

"Anthony Hope's immortal 'Prisoner of Zenda' lends itself most adaptably to musical comedy. Booth Tarkington's famous story of adolescence, 'Seventeen' is another book which is serving as a vehicle for the score writers. These best sellers will not suffer at the hands of the librettists but with suitable costuming, special music, brilliant choruses and the leaders of light opera as principals, will take on an even greater charm."

"Blossom Time," taken from the life of Franz Schubert, is another striking example of the success of the success of a real plot. The 'Love Song' based on the life of



J. J. SHUBERT

Offenbach, is further indication that the public has tired of the airy-fairy plot construction.

"Musical renditions of 'Grouse' and 'Barbara Fritchie', 'Milestones' and 'Not So Long Ago' are additional proof of this change in the world as applied to light opera," asserted Mr. Shubert.

"Milestones" is remembered as the basis of the successful "Maytime", and the latest musical success, "Maytime" is the musicalization of "Not So Long Ago."

REMEMBER—That The Menlo Park Recorder is your paper and that we are glad to receive news items of interest to the public at all times. We are as near as your phone. Call up 268-J and we will do the rest.

Miss Ruth Walsh, daughter of Mrs. Martin Walsh expects to return to her home today from the Community Hospital at Berkeley where she underwent an operation a few weeks ago.



POWELL CROSLY JR.

THE radio industry has grown so rapidly that today about one per cent of the total wage earners employed in industries of the United States are working in radio plants. Though no exact figures are available, it may be easily calculated there are between 80,000 and 100,000 people employed in the radio industry. That is five times as many as are engaged in the manufacture of phonographs, three times as many as devote their efforts to making hardware, six times as many as are engaged in bookmaking and bookbinding, and but slightly less than the number engaged in furniture making, or the automobile industry.

These facts cast a new light on radio. Not only is it the most universal means of entertainment and an influence that holds the home together, but it is actually the meal ticket of a large portion of our population. The industry has grown so large as to attract all kinds and classes, from the unskilled laborer to the highly trained scientist and professional man.

WHEN someone doubts the permanence of the radio industry, let him ask one of this grand army of one hundred thousand, who have dedicated their hopes to the future of radio, for his opinion. The voice of the hundred thousand will cry that the radio industry is here to stay.

INTERNATIONAL Radio Week, with tests between stations throughout the world will do much to bring about a better understanding of the broadcasting work of all nations. These tests will be conducted during the week of January 24, 1926.



POWELL CROSLY JR.

THE radio industry offers another example of America's leadership in commercial enterprise. Most of the truly scientific developments in radio came from the Old World. It was in America, however, that broadcasting and broadcast reception was developed. American influence has dominated this field so strongly that Great Britain and other countries found it necessary to place restrictions on the importation of radio equipment to protect their own manufacturers. Announcement has just been made of the removal of these restrictions. Open competition between British factories and American factories would have resulted in the foreign plants having to close.

FOREIGN broadcasting is organized on a very different basis than in the United States. In many of the foreign countries, the listeners have to pay a fee to hear the concerts, although there are "boot-leg" or non-payers who take advantage of the officials' inability to control the situation. Contributions to the upkeep of broadcasting comes through the system of taxation. Listeners in this country are fortunate in not having to pay directly for their radio entertainment. The entertainment offered in the United States is superior in every way to what is paid for in foreign lands.

FIVE million dollars worth of American-made radio equipment was sent to foreign countries in 1924. Many radio manufacturers in this country have established their own foreign outlets through export departments and indications point to a tremendous volume of business for this year.

THIS YEAR'S PACK OF BAY-SIDE CANNERY ALL SOLD

It is announced that practically all of this season's pack of the local plant of the Bayside Canning Company as been sold at this date. The pack was made up of 2,000 cases of apricots, 53,000 cases of pears and 83,000 cases of tomatoes.

About 500 people were employed by the plant this season.

Worth Selling is Worth Telling Advertise!

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF

AUCTION SALE

BY ORDER OF

MR. C. F. SLINGER (late Fremont Garage) who has disposed of the property I shall sell on the premises, Santa Cruz avenue, near Highway

SATURDAY, NOV. 28

Store Fixtures, Motor Accessories, Household Furnishings and miscellaneous effects.

ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE

FULL PARTICULARS IN NEXT ISSUE

Sale commences at 2:30 p. m. SHARP

F. J. FURNIVALL, Auctioneer.

Phone 2651

HIGHWAY, MENLO PARK

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Menlo Beauty Shop has been moved from Santa Cruz avenue to Harvard Road, second house from the Highway on right hand side, in Stanford Park. The shop is still under the same management and doing the same high-class work as heretofore.

SPECIAL PRICE FOR MARCELLING, 75c

(WITHOUT CARD)

If by Card, 10 MARCELS for \$6.00

Menlo Beauty Shop

BESSIE BIGCRAFT

PHONE P. A. 2864-R

LET US FIGURE
On Your Next Order of
JOB PRINTING

We Have
Up-to-Date Facilities
For Turning Out First-class
Work Promptly
GIVE US A TRIAL

Menlo Park Recorder

PHONE PALO ALTO 268-J
AND WE WILL CALL ON YOU

SPECIAL

Thanksgiving Sale
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
November 23, 24, 25

All Gold, large White Asparagus, 2 1/2 tin	\$.40
6 tins for	2.30
Luxus Apricots, 2 1/2 tin	.18
6 for	1.00
Trupack Apricots, 2 1/2 tin	.30
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CHAPTER XI

In Which a Rolls-Royce Runs Amok

Some ten minutes later he emerged from the bathroom carefully carrying a saucer in his hand. The girl's announcement that Number 13 had started at once had been received with a satisfied grunt, but he had spoken no word. And the girl, glancing through the door, saw him, with his shirt sleeves rolled up above his elbows, carefully mixing two liquids together and stirring the result gently with a glass rod. He was completely absorbed in his task, and with a faint smile on her face she went back to the sofa and waited. She knew too well the futility of speaking to him on such occasions. Even when he came in, carrying gloves on his hands, she made no remark, but waited for him to relieve her curiosity.

He placed the mixture on the table and glanced round the room. Then he pulled up one of the ordinary stuff armchairs to the table and removed the linen head-rest, which he carefully soaked with the contents of the saucer, dabbing the liquid on with a sponge, so as not to crumple the linen in any way. He used up all the liquid, and then, still with the same meticulous care, he replaced the head-rest on the chair, and stood back and surveyed his handiwork.

"Look all right?" he asked briefly.

"Quite," answered the girl. "What's the game?"

"Drummond has got to sit in that chair," he returned, removing the saucer and the sponge to the bathroom, and carefully peeling off his gloves. "He's got to sit in that chair, my dear, and afterward that linen affair has got to be burnt. And whatever happens—he paused for a moment in front of her—"don't you touch it."

Quietly and methodically, he continued his preparations, as if the most usual occurrence in the world was in progress. He crossed to the sideboard and extracted a new and undecanted bottle of whisky. From this he withdrew about a dessertspoonful of the spirit, and replaced it with the contents of a small phial which he took out of his waistcoat pocket. Then he forced back the cork until it was right home, and with the greatest care replaced the cap of tinfoil round the top of the bottle. And the girl, coming over to where he was working, saw that the bottle was again as new.

"What a consummate artist you are, cheri!" she said, laying a hand on his shoulder.

The Reverend Theodosius smiled and passed his arm round her waist.

"One of the earliest essentials of our—er—occupation, my little one, is to learn how to insert dope into an apparently untouched bottle."

"But do you think you will get him to drink even out of a new bottle?"

"I hope so. I shall drink myself."

But even if he doesn't, the preparation on the chair is the essential thing. Once his neck touches that—"

With an expressive wave of his hand he vanished once more into the bathroom, returning with his coat.

"Don't you remember that Italian toxicologist—Fransoli?" he remarked.

"We met him in Naples three years ago, and he obligingly told me that he had in his possession the secret of one of the real Borgia poisons. I remember I had a most interesting discussion with him on the subject. The internal application is what matters. That acts alone, but if the victim can be induced to take it internally as well it acts very much better."

"Fransoli?" She frowned thoughtfully.

"Wasn't that the name of the man who had the fatal accident on Vesuvius?"

"That's the fellow," answered the Reverend Theodosius, arranging a siphon and some glasses on a tray. "He persuaded me to ascend it with him, and on the way up he was foolish enough to tell me that the bottles containing this poison had been stolen from his laboratory. I don't know whether he suspected me or not—I was an Austrian baron at the time, if I remember aright—but when he proceeded to peer over the edge of the crater at a most dangerous point I thought it better to take no risks. So—er—the accident occurred. And I gathered he was really a great loss to science."

He glanced at his watch, and the girl laughed delightedly.

"It will be interesting to see if his claims for it are true," he continued thoughtfully. "I have only used it once, but on that occasion I inadvertently put too much into the wine, and the patient died. But with the right quantities it produces—so he stated, and I saw him experiment on a dog—a type of partial paralysis, not only of the body, but of the mind. You can see, you can hear, but you can't speak and you can't move. What ultimately happens with a human being I don't know, but the dog recovered."

A quick double knock came at the door, and with one final glance round the room the Reverend Theodosius crossed to his desk and sat down.

"Come in," he called, and a small dapper-looking man entered.

"Number 13, sir," said the newcomer briefly, and the other nodded.

"I am expecting a man here shortly, 13," remarked the clergyman, "whose voice I shall want you to imitate over the telephone."

"Only over the telephone, sir?"

"Only over the telephone. You will not be able to be in this room, but there is a bathroom adjoining in which you can hear every word that is spoken." The other nodded as if satisfied.

"For how long will you require to hear him talk?"

"Five or ten minutes, sir, will be ample."

"Good. You shall have that. There's the bathroom. Go in, and don't make a sound."

"Very good, sir."

"And wait. Have Giuseppe and Number 10 come yet?"

"They left headquarters, sir, just after 1 did. They should be here by now."

The man disappeared into the bathroom, closing the door behind him, and once again the Reverend Theodosius glanced at his watch.

"Our young friend should be here shortly," he murmured. "And then the single which he seems so anxious to play can begin in earnest."

The benign expression which he had adopted as part of his role disappeared for an instant to be replaced by a look of cold fury.

"The single will begin in earnest," he repeated softly, "and it's the last one he will ever play."

The girl shrugged her shoulders.

"He has certainly asked for it," she remarked, "but it strikes me that you had better be careful. You may be

as she saw them, and Drummond turned on her with a smile.

"To one given up to good works and knitting, Janet, doubtless, such things do not appeal. Tell me, Theo," he remarked as he swept them back into the bag—"who was the idiot who put them in Snooks' desk? Don't answer if you'd rather not give away your maidenly secrets; but it was a pretty full-sized bloomer on his part, wasn't it—popping off the old bomb?"

He leaned back in his chair, and for a moment a gleam shone in the other's eyes, for the nape of Drummond's neck came exactly against the center of the impregnated linen cover.

"Doubtless, Captain Drummond, doubtless," he murmured politely.

"But if you will persist in talking in riddles, don't you think we might choose a different subject until Mrs. Drummond arrives?"

"Anything you like, Theo," said Drummond. "I'm perfectly happy talking about you. How the devil do you do it?" He sat up and stared at the other man with genuine wonder on his face.

"Eyes different—nose—voice—figure—everything different. You're a marvel—but for that one small failing of yours."

"You interest me profoundly," said the clergyman. "What is this one small failing that makes you think I am other than what I profess to be?"

Drummond laughed genially.

"Good heavens, don't you know what it is? Hasn't Janet told you? It's that dainty little trick of yours of tickling the left ear with the right big toe that marks you every time. No man can do that, Theo, and blush unseen."

He leaned back again in his chair, and passed his hand over his forehead.

"By Jove, it's pretty hot in here, isn't it?"

"It is close everywhere today," answered the other easily, though his eyes behind the spectacles were fixed intently on Drummond. "Would you care for a drink?"

Drummond smiled; the sudden fit of muzziness seemed to have passed as quickly as it had come.

"Thank you—no," he answered politely. "In your last incarnation, Theo, you may remember that I did not drink with you. There is an element of doubt about your liquor which renders it a dangerous proceeding."

"As you will," said the clergyman indifferently, at the same time placing the bottle of whisky and the glasses on the table. "If you imagine that I am capable of interfering with an unopened bottle, obtained from the cellars of the Ritz, it would be well not to join me." He was carefully removing the tin foil as he spoke, and once again the strange muzzy feeling swept over Drummond. He felt as if things had suddenly become unreal—as if he was dreaming. His vision seemed blurred, and then for the second time it passed away, leaving only a strange mental confusion. What was he doing in this room? Who was this benevolent old clergyman drawing the cork out of a bottle of whisky?

With an effort he pulled himself together. It must be the heat or something, he reflected, and he must keep his brain clear. Perhaps a whisky-and-soda would help. After all, there could be no danger in drinking from a bottle which he had seen opened under his very eyes.

"Do you know, Theo," he remarked, "I think I will change my mind and have a whisky-and-soda."

His voice sounded strange to his ears; and he wondered if the others noticed anything. But apparently not; the clergyman merely nodded briefly, and remarked, "Say when."

"When," said Drummond, with a foolish sort of laugh. It was a most extraordinary thing, but he couldn't focus his eyes; there were two glasses on the table and two clergymen splashing in soda from two siphons. Surely he wasn't going to faint; had thing to faint when he was alone with Peterson.

He took a gulp at his drink and suddenly began to talk—foolishly and idiotically.

"Nice room, Carl, old lad. . . . Never expected meet you again; certainly not in nice room. . . ."

His voice trailed away, and he sat there blinking stupidly. Everything was confused, and his tongue seemed weighted with lead. He reached out again for his glass—or tried to—and his arm refused to move. And suddenly out of the jumble of thoughts in his brain there emerged the one damning certainty that somehow or other he had been trapped and drugged. He gave a hoarse, inarticulate cry, and struggled to rise to his feet, but it was useless; his legs and arms felt as if they were bound to the chair by iron bands. And in the mist that swam before his eyes he saw the mocking faces of the clergyman and his daughter.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Dickens' Famous Speech

At an annual banquet, which is noted for the high level of its speech-making and where many famous orators have been heard, Charles Dickens, in the last year of his life, was asked to respond for literature. The theme of his speech was the recent death of Maclise. One who was present writes: "A deathlike stillness came over the great room, and mine were not the only eyes that were filled with tears. So moved was the audience that at the close of Dickens' speech they rose from the table, and no other speech was delivered that night."

"What a Consummate Artist You Are, Cherie!" She Said, Laying a Hand on His Shoulder.

on one thing—that he hasn't kept his knowledge about you and me to himself. Half those young idiots that run about behind him know everything by this time, and if they go to the Yard it will be very unpleasant for us, mon cheri. And that they certainly will do if anything should happen to dear Hugh."

The clergyman smiled resignedly.

"After all these years, you think it necessary to say that to me! My dear, you pain me—you positively wound me to the quick. I will guarantee that all Drummond's friends sleep soundly in their beds tonight, harboring none but the sweetest thoughts of the kindly and much-maligned old clergyman at the Ritz."

"And what of Drummond himself?" continued the girl.

"It may be tonight, or may be tomorrow. But accidents happen at all times—and one is going to happen to him." He smiled sweetly, and lit a cigar. "A nasty, sticky accident which will deprive us of his presence. I haven't worried over the details yet—but doubtless the inspiration will come. And here, if I mistake not, is our hero himself."

The door swung open and Drummond entered.

"Well, Carl, old lad," he remarked breezily, "here I am on the stroke of time with the bag of nuts all complete."

"Excellent," murmured the clergyman, waving a benevolent hand toward the only free chair. "But if you must call me by my Christian name, why not make it Theo?"

Drummond grinned delightedly.

"As you wish, my little one. Theo I shall be in future, and Janet. He bowed to the girl as he sat down.

"There's just one little point I want to mention, Theo, before we come to the laughter and games. Peter Darrell, who you may remember of old, and who lunched with us today, is sitting on the telephone in my house. And eight o'clock is the time limit. Should his childish fears for my safety and my wife's not be assuaged by that hour, he will feel compelled to interrupt Tum-tum at his dinner. I trust I make myself perfectly clear."

"You are the soul of lucidity," beamed the clergyman.

"Good! Then first of all, there are the diamonds. No, don't come too near, please; you can count them quite easily from where you are." He tumbled them out of the bag, and they lay on the table like great pools of liquid light. The girl's breath came quickly

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THE LIMIT OF TAXATION

Another effort will be made in the next California legislature to increase the gasoline tax from two to three cents a gallon. This is in line with the general trend of local tax levying bodies. Once a tax is established, the procedure is to increase it as rapidly as possible.

Instead of striving to get more efficiency in return for each dollar of taxes expended, the mania seems to be to get more money to spend and the bigger the money-spending machine is built, the more money it takes to keep it going. The result is constantly increased taxes.

This is in contrast with the determined program of the national administration to reduce federal taxes and to reduce the overhead cost of federal government.

Already California is losing millions of dollars annually which would be spent in this state by people who would come here if it were not for the fact that they cannot afford to die here and leave their estates to pay the heavy inheritance taxes.

Just as this type of taxation is turning wealthy people to Florida and other states which try to eliminate tax penalties, so will an exorbitant gasoline tax drive tourists to other states where they are not so heavily assessed for motor fuel.

There is a limit to all things. California and a number of other states have apparently reached it on questions of taxation.

REAL SERVICE

A national guard company in one of our western states has been using a loud speaker on its phonograph at company headquarters. Something seemed to go wrong with the instrument and one of the boys took it to a local radio dealer for repair.

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Improving on History

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At last he thought he'd like to stop But how he would was Greek to Con, A tree jumped up and biffed the car, It stopped real quick—but Con kept on.

"How do you feel this morning?" asked Information.

"Fine," said the judge.

"Rotten," gargled the egg dealer.

"Fare," answered the conductor.

"Punk," yelled the dispenser of incense.

"Well," replied the oil man.

"Poor," moaned the beggar.

"Grate," laughed the chimney sweep.

"Sew-sew," sighed the seamstress.

Some mothers still like to find their children in bed at night, but after a hard day's work they find it difficult to keep awake that late.

What's in a name? but Orestes spat jail

The police officer found three colored gentlemen bouncing the freckled sugar lumps in an alley, and proceeded to get their names.

Says he: "Phwat's yer name, now?"

"Rastus White, suh," answered the one accosted.

"And what might yers be?"

"Juniter Johnson, sah."

"And now tell me what yers is."

"Orestes Ossifer."

"I says phwat's yer name?"

"Orestes Ossifer."

"I ast yer to tell me yer name."

"Orestes Ossifer."

"All right then, darn ye, I will. I was gonna let ye off wit' a reppyman, just a word o' caution, but since ye are so insistent about bein' arrested come on along."

And he dragged 'em off to jail Orestes has since changed his name to Washington, it's safer.

Teacher: "Make a sentence with the word thermometer."

Pupil: "Thermometer sister's layer cake and got very sick."

Little Hector, mama's love, Put T. N. T. in the stove. Then he fried some eggs for Rover 'n't need to turn 'em over.

FORESTERS TO HOLD MASK BALL AT T. N. T. PAVILION

Court Madrone, Foresters of America of Redwood City have planned a mask ball to be held in the big T. N. T. Pavilion here at 10 o'clock giving Eve with the T. N. T. Orchestra furnishing the music.

Door prizes and rewards to the maskers will amount to about \$75 and a good time is assured to all who attend. Dancing will continue from 9 o'clock until 3 a. m.

A small girl was thrown from her bicycle and slightly injured Wednesday afternoon when her bicycle was struck by an automobile driven by George Walsh on the Hillway near Santa Cruz avenue. The girl, who is named Edna, is now recovering at her home.

Midnight Bow-Wows



This is Kay Nyne and Big Barker, who entertain on the special program every Thursday midnight from Crosley WLW, Cincinnati. This program has proved to be one of radio's howling successes. Rin Tin Kan is another entertainer of this unique nocturnal broadcasting feature.

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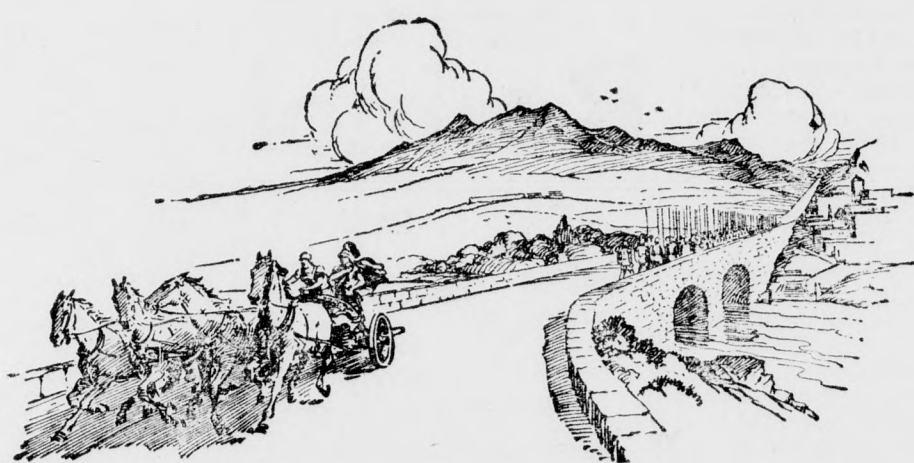
SATURDAY night is a mighty good time to ask yourself this question: "Is our community sending more money out of town than is coming in each week?" Of course the only safe answer is "NO!"

This means that we folks in this neighborhood must patronize local supply men and merchants if we expect our town to prosper and "stay on the map."

Frankly, it means that every citizen will find it most profitable to read the advertisements in this paper every issue, and to follow their good advice.

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REACHING into her distant corners were the Roman Empire's military roads, built that the couriers or armies of Caesar might have highways that were dependable.

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Mrs. J. B. Glunz was a San Francisco visitor on Thursday.

Miss Ruth Walsh, daughter of Mrs. Martin Walsh expects to return to her home today from the Community Hospital at Beresford where she underwent an operation a few weeks ago.

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FRUIT PACK OF LOCAL CANNERY ABOUT SOLD OUT

It is announced that practically all of this season's pack of the local plant of the Bayside Canning Company as been sold at this date. The pack was made up of 2,000 cases of apricots, 53,000 cases of pears and 83,000 cases of tomatoes.

About 500 people were employed by the plant this season.

The Seniors of the Palo Alto Union High School held a barn dance last Saturday evening. Much merriment was caused by the novel costumes which consisted of calico dresses for the girls and overalls for the boys. Decorations for the dance consisted of various agricultural accessories. and the programs were in the form of horseshoes and very attractive.



THE radio industry offers another example of America's leadership in commercial enterprise. Most of the truly scientific developments in radio came from the Old World. It was in America, however, that broadcasting and broadcast reception was developed. American influence has dominated this field so strongly that Great Britain and other countries found it necessary to place restrictions on the importation of radio equipment to protect their own manufacturers. Announcement has just been made of the removal of these restrictions. Open competition between British factories and American factories would have resulted in the foreign plants having to close.

FOREIGN broadcasting is organized on a very different basis than in the United States. In many of the foreign countries, the listeners have to pay a fee to hear the concerts, although there are "boot-leg" or non-payers who take advantage of the officials inability to control the situation. Contributions to the upkeep of broadcasting comes through the system of taxation. Listeners in this country are fortunate in not having to pay directly for their radio entertainment. The entertainment offered in the United States is superior in every way to what is paid for in foreign lands.

FIVE million dollars worth of American-made radio equipment was sent to foreign countries in 1924. Many radio manufacturers in this country have established their own foreign outlets through export departments and indications point to a tremendous volume of business for this year.



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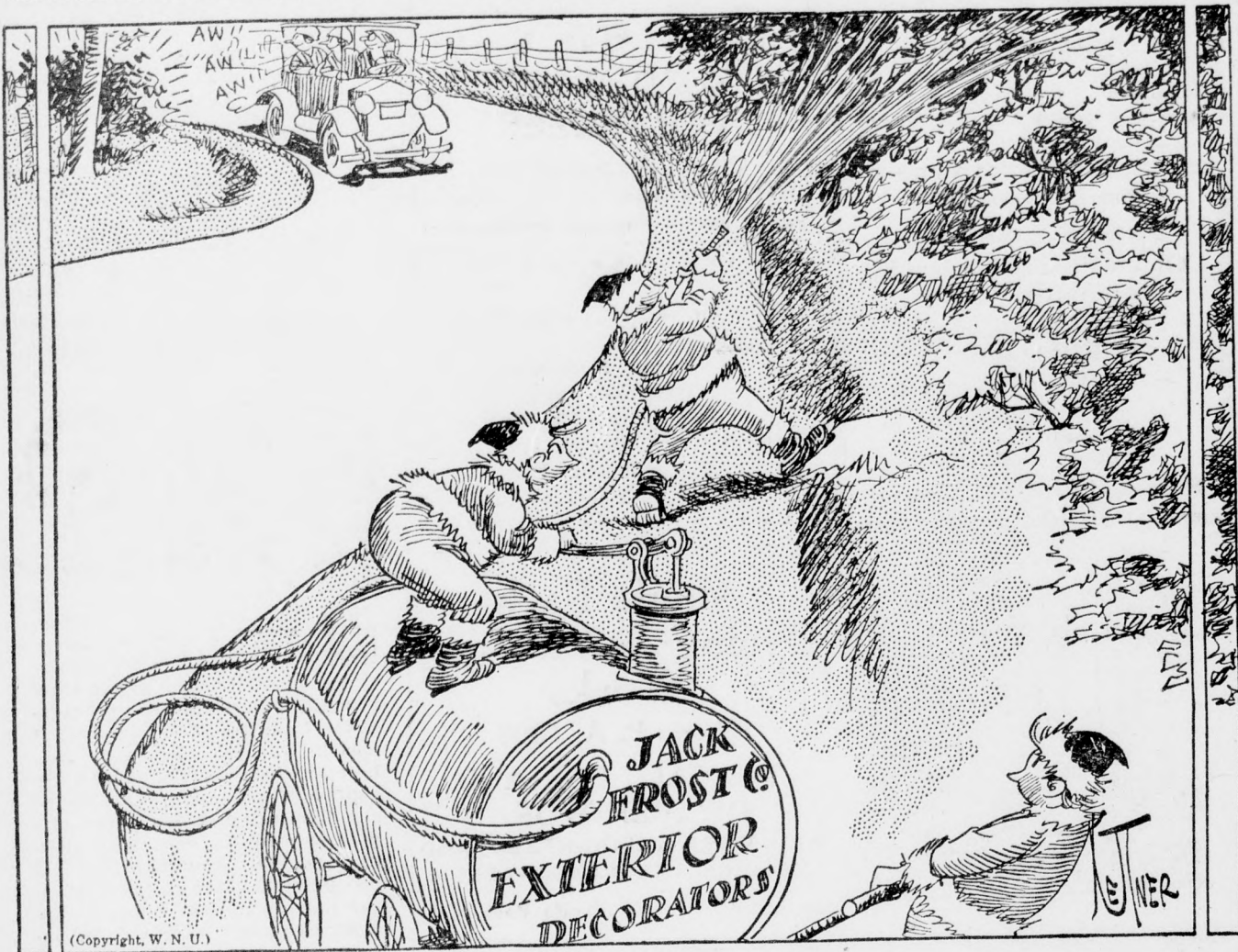
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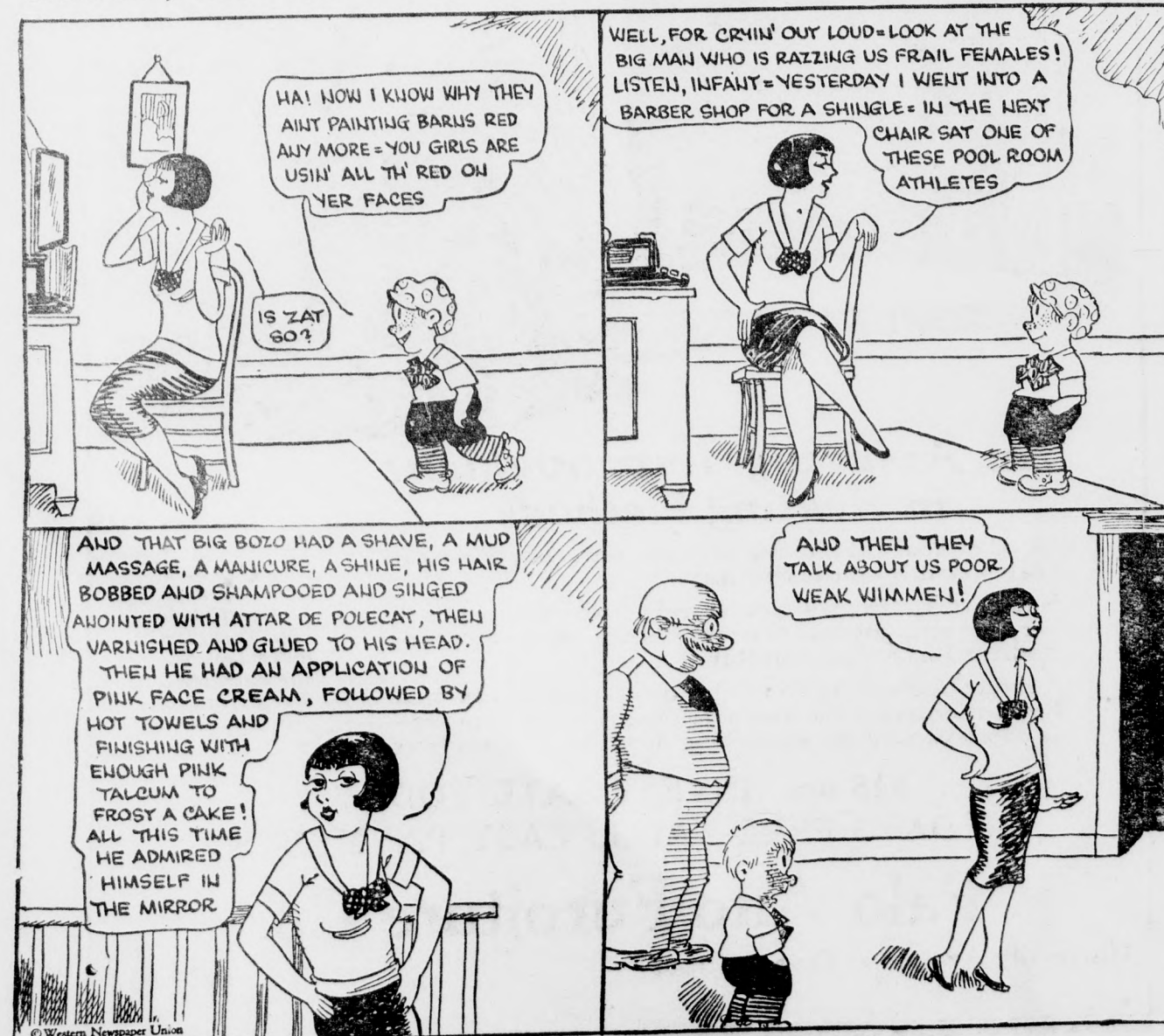
THE FEATHERHEADS

He Walked Right Out and—



MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

Atta Girl, Irene!



Circuit Good for Volume and Range

Three-Tube Receiver That Will Equal or Surpass Five-Tube Sets.

By CARLTON E. BUTLER
(Member American Institute of Electrical Engineers and Institute of Radio Engineers.)

Properly constructed, with good parts and workmanship, the variometer coupled radio frequency receiver is surpassed only by the superheterodyne for efficiency and range. Selectivity is remarkable and the set will not radiate energy while the tubes are controlled at their proper operating point by the potentiometer.

It has been repeatedly demonstrated that tuned radio frequency amplification is essential to provide sufficient selectivity to tune through the maze of broadcasting stations now on the air, and to give sufficient volume to operate a loud speaker on distant stations. At the present time the majority of radio receivers incorporate tuned radio frequency in some form or other.

Some Advantages.

The circuit described in this article uses a combination of fixed condensers and inductive tuning, in place of the usual arrangement of fixed transform-

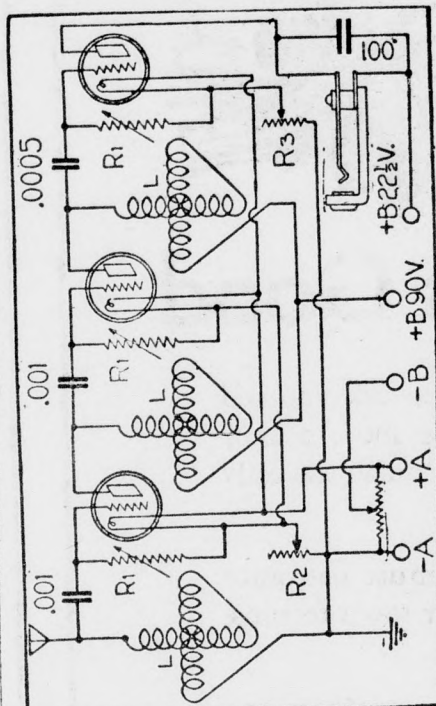


Diagram of Three-Tube Inductively Tuned Radio Frequency Receiver.

ers and variable condensers. Variometers are used instead of condensers for tuning, and the receiver is stabilized with a series of variable resistances from the grids of the tubes to the negative filament lead. The following parts will be needed:

Three variometers capable of tuning from 200 to 550 meters.

Three .001 mfd. mica fixed condensers.

One 200,000-ohm noninductive variable resistance.

Two centralab noninductive variable grid leaks.

One 400-ohm centralab noninductive noiseless potentiometer.

One each 30-ohm and 6-ohm rheostats of centralab type.

Three sockets.

Binding posts, wire, etc.

The resistances are very important, the one on the first tube should be capable of going below 10,000 ohms. For this purpose the 200,000-ohm radiohm, is recommended for the first RI.

For Noiseless Reception.

For noiseless reception it is essential that the noninductive variable grid-leaks be used for RI on the second and third tubes. Once the leaks have been adjusted so that oscillation does not occur at any setting of the dials, further adjustment will not be required except with the potentiometer, which controls volume and will be found very helpful in tuning in distant stations.

As the first two tubes are controlled by a single rheostat, it need be but half of the resistance required for operating a single tube. A 30-ohm rheostat will control the first two tubes if they are of the UV 199, C 299, UV 201-A or C 301-A type. A 6 ohm will be the proper size for the detector if the one ampere UV 200 or C 300 detector is to be used. A 30-ohm is best for the other types of tubes.

Stations will generally come in over the first part of the first variometer dial and over the latter half of the second and third dials.

Interchangeable Apparatus

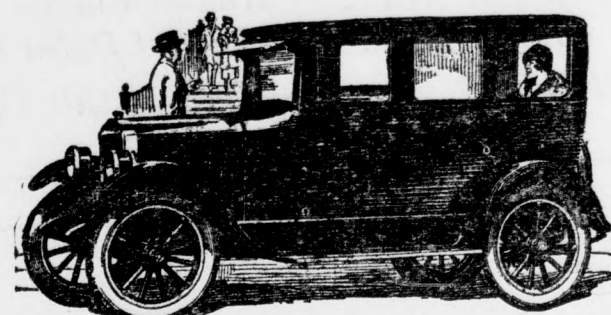
In the majority of cases, condensers of like capacity and audio transformers of approximately the same ratio are interchangeable. The manufacturer's name makes little difference, providing he is thoroughly reliable. Different makes of rheostats, sockets, jacks and other small items can also be substituted one for another without trouble.

New Receiver on Market

A new form of telephone receiver for radio use has appeared on the market in Germany. It is very light and the receiver proper is surrounded by a thin cap of rubber, the opening in which is large enough to permit the whole contrivance being hung on the ear.

Using Auto Battery

If you use an auto battery for radio work, make connections easier by putting binding posts on the terminals. Drill a hole in each terminal and solder the head of a machine screw in it. Then a thumb screw can be fitted to the screw.



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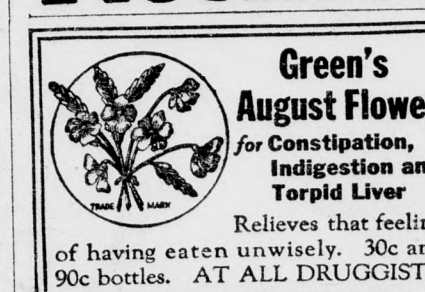
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RAYMOND KELLY IS ENTERTAINED BY FRIENDS MON.

Raymond Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kelly of Menlo Park was the honored guest at a stag dinner tendered him by his friends at the B. Larrecou home here on Monday evening. Raymond was born and reared in Menlo Park and has a host of friends here who wish him much happiness in his approaching marriage.

Miss Elly Poulson of San Francisco is the fortunate girl and the ceremony will be solemnized on Thanksgiving Eve in San Francisco with the Rev. Father Dennis O'Kelly former pastor of the Church of the Nativity officiating.

THE MAGIC CARPET

Once upon a time in the mystic land of Persia, there was found among the treasures of a king, a wonderful carpet. One had only to sit on it, wish to be somewhere, and away the carpet would fly till the wished for place was reached. For hundreds of years it carried kings and princes upon the most amazing adventures. No one knows what finally became of it, but it may be that its last threads went into the make-up of the first Youth's Companion. For, like the magic carpet, The Youth's Companion for 1926 carries you to the land of your heart's desire—up into the Maine woods with the lumbermen; out on the western plains where the warlike Navajo Indians live; far up into the gold regions of Alaska; and away on the Southern Seas in search of treasures and lost islands. All you need for such extraordinary adventures is a young heart and a Youth's Companion. Don't lose time in getting started; subscribe now and receive:

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WOODSAWING CONTEST HELD AT MENLO THEATRE SAT.

The wood sawing contest held last Saturday night at the Menlo Theatre nearly wrecked the showhouse. The large audience swayed with laughter as the two ladies battled for a prize of two sacks of coal donated by the Menlo Feed and Fuel Company.

The lady that won the contest certainly had to saw wood, and the saw dust flew in all directions when the two ladies went to work. This contest was held by "Si" Cady, who has been conducting the popular "Country Stores" on the Peninsula. A pair of ladies' shoes, donated by the Menlo Shore Store was second prize and the lady who received them was very much pleased.

Tonight (Saturday) "Si" Cady will hold a balloon inflating contest for the men. You can bet that it is going to be another riot of fun.

Come early and do your shopping with "Si."

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Oak Grove Avenue, between Railroad and Laurel Avenue

8 a. m. Early Celebration.
9:30 a. m. Church school.
10:30 a. m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

7:30 Evening Service.
Monday evening Trinity Men's Club will meet at the Parish House.
Rev. Ralph Smith, rector, residence Ravenswood and Laurel avenues. Phone, Palo Alto 1631-J.

MRS. CUTHBERTSON IS CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Robert G. Cuthbertson of this city died on Tuesday after an illness lasting but five days. She was a native of Scotland, coming to this country at the age of 7 years and has made this city her home for the last nine years.

She leaves the following sons and daughters to mourn her loss: Mrs. J. H. Borden, Mrs. R. E. Swain, Miss Jessie Cuthbertson, Henry P. Cuthbertson and Sidney M. Cuthbertson, all of this city; Alex M. Cuthbertson of Redwood City, Ernest J. Cuthbertson of Oakland, and Robert G. Cuthbertson of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Donald Steel of Kuala Lumpur, Malay States.

Funeral services which were attended by a host of friends and relatives, and the local W. C. T. U. in a body were held at the Methodist church at two o'clock this afternoon.

What about your greeting cards? Call 268-J for sample today.

Youth's Year a W. C. T. U. Success

Great Progress in 1925 Will Be Shown at National Convention, November 11-19.

Many thousands of young men and young women have signed the Patriotic Roll of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union during the past year, declaring their loyalty to the Constitution of the United States and their promise to work for better enforcement of all laws.

This enrollment together with a children's allegiance pledge signed by 1,000,000 American school children, will be shown at the fifty-first convention of the National W. C. T. U., which will meet in Detroit, November 11-19.

Young men and young women of high school and college years throughout the United States are showing great enthusiasm for the educational program of the W. C. T. U. and are eager supporters of the prohibition laws, according to Miss Anna A. Gordon of Evanston, Ill., national president of the White Ribbon organization.

Pointing out that 1925 is "Youth's Year" in the W. C. T. U. calendar, Miss Gordon said today that "the attitude of the young people towards prohibition when they understand its basic soundness is gratifying. They are eager to learn how they can help law enforcement in their own communities and their response to our appeal for the enlistment of the coming generation in the dry ranks has been magnificent."

"Our line-up with living issues" will be the subject of Miss Gordon's annual address in which she will show the part the W. C. T. U. is taking today in all branches of activity affecting the welfare of women and children and how its departments of citizenship, legislation, scientific temperance investigation, child welfare, social morality, Americanization, peace, and some twenty others, are contributing to a united effort to make this a better world.

International night will be one of the high points of the convention program as representatives from other countries will be present and border problems will be discussed when W. C. T. U. and enforcement

THREE EVANSTON, ILL. YOUNG WOMEN SCANNING W.C.T.U.'S PATRIOTIC ROLL, BEARING THOUSANDS OF SIGNATURES.



Right—
Laura M.
Treawick

Left—
Peggy E.
Blackburn

Charlotte
L. Fisher

Miss Anna A. Gordon
NATIONAL PRESIDENT OF
THE W.C.T.U.

officials from both Canada and the United States speak. Gen. Lincoln C. Andrews, assistant secretary of the treasury and Mrs. Gordon Wright, president of the Canadian W. C. T. U. will address the convention on this evening. Representatives from other countries include Miss Michi Sembongi, Japan; Miss Isabel McCorkindale, Australia; Miss Mary Campbell, India; Miss P. Kassabova, Bulgaria; and Miss Amy Spaulding from the Orient. Miss Spaulding has a particularly spectacular story in that she was living in Shanghai during the days when the city was thronged with soldiers of opposing factions and all China was in turmoil.

Michigan Night when well-known residents of the Wolverine state will speak, and Youth's Night when a dramatic presentation of the Patriotic Rolls is made, will be other featured events on the program. The Rev. Lynn Harold Hough of the Central M. E. Church will preach the

annual convention sermon, Nov. 15. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt and Fred B. Smith will be among the speakers at the get-together dinner held Nov. 12 at the Statler Hotel, the official headquarters of the convention which will hold its business sessions at the Woodward Avenue Baptist Church.

Miss Anna A. Gordon, president and Dr. Ella A. Boole of New York, vice-president, will alternate in presiding over convention sessions. Mrs. Frances P. Parks, corresponding secretary, will present a report showing the growth of the organization since the convention met in Detroit 42 years ago, and Mrs. Margaret C. Munns, treasurer, will give figures to show how the W. C. T. U. spends its money. Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson of N. D., recording secretary and Mrs. Sara Hoge of Lincoln, W. Va., assistant recording secretary, will give interesting sidelights on law enforcement in their respective states.

Over-stocked Sale



This is the greatest value giving time we have had, it's many years since we have been able to offer such exceptional values as these.

Take advantage of the money-saving sale as there is no possibility of duplicating these prices in the future. The shoes are all first class, the workmanship the best, and the leather is the finest obtainable. These shoes are taken from our regular stock and all of the sizes in the various lines are full.

For Women—slippers and oxfords in satin, patent leather and kid. All the favored winter shades; all the desirable heel heights.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

A wire fence is being put up around St. Mary's school.

The Dishers have moved into the Johnson house on Logan avenue.

J. E. Cooper will spend next week hunting geese on the rice fields at Colusa.

Mrs. Iman has moved into a house on Live Oak Avenue and will make her home here for some time.

Mrs. J. B. Gladstone left this week for New York where she will visit her son. She expects to be gone for sometime.

A big prize dance is to be held this evening in the T. N. T. Pavilion under the auspices of the Menlo Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West. The T. N. T. Orchestra will furnish music for the dance and prizes are to be given for the best demonstration of both the single and double Charleston.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Preaching services at 11:00 a. m.
Christian Endeavor Society meets at 7:00 p. m.

The church is located on Santa Cruz avenue near the Highway and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend all of these services.
Pastor's residence, 1855 Cowper street, Palo Alto, phone Palo Alto 1095.

H. W. HARBAUGH, Pastor

JACK HOLT PERFORMS
BIG FILM STUNT

Imagine a high-powered aeroplane shooting through space and another fast-moving air machine just below and then picture a man dropping from the upper car to the lower and then later using a parachute to return to his original car. Sounds like a miracle going some place to happen yet such a feat is successfully accomplished by Jack Holt in the big production of "The Lone Wolf," which is coming to the local theater, on Saturday evening.

The story of "The Lone Wolf" is widely known, having for its main character, the premier crook of the world, who always worked alone and for that reason won the sobriquet that had become internationally famous. Jack Holt plays the title role, with Dorothy Dalton cast at the attractive Lucy Shannon, the trusted agent of the celebrated Parisian band of high crooks, known as "the Pack."

Romance of an extremely exciting nature, wild chases after criminals, hand-to-hand fights, realistic aeroplane scenes and a love story that for adventure and thrills excels all other film narratives.

The married life of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hill lasted but a few minutes, according to the final decree of divorce granted the wife by Superior Judge George H. Buck in Redwood City on Tuesday. Mrs. Hill, through her attorney, A. L. Crawford, declared in the complaint that the marriage took place in Menlo Park on July 23, 1924 and that her husband deserted her the same day.

STAR CAR IN ANOTHER
HILL CLIMBING RECORD

Four more steep hills have been added to the present long list that have been conquered in high gear by the Star car according to word sent out by the Durant Motor Company of California.

These hills are located in the city of Ventura, and for years have remained a temptation to the motorist who had a desire to boast of having gone to the top in high gear. Not until last week when a Star made these climbs in high, had same ever been officially recorded.

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